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Sir:

Please amend this application prior to calculation of the filing fees, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 5-20.

Please consider the following new claims 21 to 35

21 (New). A sheet material according to claim 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 wherein the first layer is a textile fabric.

22 (New). A sheet material according to claim 21 wherein the second layer is a polyurethane composition.

23 (New). A sheet material according to claim 21 wherein the selected part comprises a first region and a second region and wherein the perforations are of different dimensions in the first region from those in the second region.

24 (New). A sheet material according to claim 21 wherein the perforations in the first region are larger than those in the second region.

25 (New). A sheet material according to claim 21 wherein the perforations in the first and second region each have a diameter between 0.1 mm and 1.6 mm.

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